



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 3721

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Patrick R. LANCASTER III, et al.) Group Art Unit: 3721
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Application No.: 10/695,645) Examiner: Stephen Francis Gerrity
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Filed: October 29, 2003) Confirmation No.: 4078
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For: A METHOD AND APPARATUS)
FOR SECURING A TAIL OF FILM)
TO A LOAD)

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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed on September 6, 2005, and pursuant to
37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose to amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

OK for Entry - JF - 12/16/05

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